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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

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Serial No.: 10/078,376

Examiner: GRANT, CHRISTOPHER C

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Art Unit: 2611

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR RESTORING DIGITAL TV SIGNAL

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and §§1.97 and 1.98 as amended, Applicant cites, describes, and provides copies of the following art references:

**PATENT DOCUMENTS:**

- Japanese Office Action; Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-007181, issued on 19 October 2004.

**FOREIGN PATENT REFERENCE:**

- Japanese Patent Publication No. 2000-175213 to Noguchi, entitled METHOD FOR TRANSFERRING DIGITAL VIDEO/AUDIO DATA AND ITS SYSTEM, published on 9 June 1998.

**DISCUSSION**

Noguchi Japanese Patent Publication 2000-175213, as cited in the Japanese Office Action issued on the 19 October 2004 in Applicant's corresponding Japanese Patent Application Serial No. 2002-007181 was said to, disclose a method of transferring digital video/audio data of many kinds of digital TV broadcast programs by adopting a signal processing based on the existing NTSC system and utilizing diversified transmission media.

The citation of the foregoing references is not intended to constitute an assertion that other or more relevant art does not exist. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to make a wide-ranging and thorough search of the relevant art.

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.97(d), the undersigned attorney hereby certifies that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign patent application not more than three(3) months prior to the filing of the statement.

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Respectfully submitted,



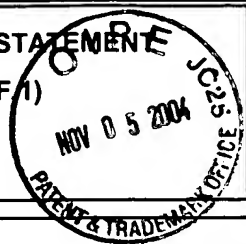
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